Liber W. C. John Darnall agt hands foure thousand pounds of tobacco due from Wm Harris him unto Jarvis Ballard And itt being made appeare to this Court, that the said Wm Harris hath none of the Estate of the said Jarvis Ballard in his hands Therefore itt is considered by the Court here this day to witt the fourteenth day of ffebruary in the fifth yeare of the Dominion of the right Honble Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annog Doni 1679, that the Attachmt aforesaid against the said Wm Harris be quashed.

John Davis William Boyden late of Charles County was Attached to agt Answer unto John Davis of a plea of trespas of the case W^m Boyden And whereupon the said John Davis by Robert Carvile his Attorney saith, that the said John Davis being upon the last day of Decembr One thousand six hundred Seventy seven possessed of two Servants named Edward Powell & Elizabeth haveing two yeares & upwards to serve, being of the proper goods & Chattles of the said John And so being possessed the said Edward Powell & Elizabeth his wife from the service of the said John did absent themselves And afterwards to witt the first day of January One thousand six hundred Seventy seven to the possession of the same W^m came. And he the said W mknowing the said Edward & Elizabeth to be the proper servants of the said John Davis, & to the said John of right to belong & appertaine, craftily & fraudulently intending the said John in that behalfe craftily & subtily to deceive & defraud, the said two servants to the said John though often thereunto requested hath not delivered, but the servants aforesaid to his owne proper use & profitt converted and disposed, to the losse of the said John tenn thousand pounds of tobacco, & thereupon he bringeth his suite

And the said William by John Rousby his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c and prayeth liberty to imparle hereunto untill next Provintiall Court, & it is granted unto him, the same day is given to the p^{tt} also

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